

Haverhill School Committee Meeting Thursday, May 1, 2014 - 7:00 P.M.

Mr. Scott Wood opened the meeting at 7:01 p.m. Present were: Mr. Joseph Bevilacqua, Attorney Paul Magliocchetti, Mrs. Maura Ryan-Ciardiello Mrs. Susan Danehy, Mr. James F. Scully, Superintendent of Schools, and Dr. Mary Malone, Assistant Superintendent. Mayor James J. Fiorentini and Mr. Shaun Toohey were recorded as absent.

Mr. Bevilacqua led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Participation

None at this time.

Mr. Bevilacqua moved to suspend the rules to discuss a matter relative to the Superintendent. Seconded by Attorney Magliocchetti. A roll call vote was held with the following results:

Mrs. Ryan-Ciardiello Yes Attorney Magliocchetti Yes Mrs. Danehy Yes Mr. Bevilacqua Yes Mr. Wood Yes

Motion passes.

Mr. Bevilacqua through Community Action has nominated the Superintendent as an outstanding community leader. Mr. Scully has been selected as a Community Award Recipient and shall be recognized on Thursday, May 15 at the Renaissance Golf Club.

The committee reverted to the regular order of business.

Communication and Reports:

Student Advisory Council Report – Jillian Zuber

Ms. Zuber was not in attendance.

Superintendent Comments/Reports

Informational Comments

Mr. Scully referenced the research through Mr. Cox of accepting students out of state.

Moved by Mrs. Danehy and seconded by Mr. Bevilacqua that provided we have available seats, the school district will accept out of state students in our Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten programs provided they pay tuition in the amount of \$5,000. A roll call vote was held with the following results:

Mrs. Ryan-Ciardiello Yes Attorney Magliocchetti No Mrs. Danehy Yes Mr. Bevilacqua Yes Mr. Wood Yes

Motion passes.

School Committee Communications

None at this time.

Subcommittee Reports

None at this time.

Mr. Wood indicated an event that occurred this week in the honoring of Mr. Ernest DiBurro and his contributions to the education of our children. Mr. Wood asked the Superintendent to provide a citation to Mr. DiBurro on behalf of the School Committee for his generosity and support of the Haverhill Public Schools.

Interviews will be held for Assistant Superintendent's position next week and within a few weeks a recommendation will be forthcoming.

New Business:

Moved by Attorney Magliocchetti and seconded by Mrs. Danehy to approve Warrant Number EV20140502A totaling \$353,386.30 and Warrant Number EV20140502B totaling \$340,125.33. A roll call vote was held with the following results:

Mrs. Ryan-Ciardiello Mr. Bevilacqua

Yes Abstained

Attorney Magliocchetti Mr. Wood

Yes Yes Mrs. Danehy

Yes

Motion passes.

Items by Consensus

approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of April 17, 2014

Moved by Mr. Bevilacqua and seconded by Attorney Magliocchetti to approve the Item by Consensus. A roll call vote was held with the following results:

Mrs. Ryan-Ciardiello Mr. Bevilacqua

Yes

Attorney Magliocchetti

Yes

Mrs. Danehy

Yes

Mr. Wood Yes

Yes

Motion passes.

Executive Session/Adjournment

Moved by Attorney Magliocchetti and seconded by Mrs. Danehy to adjourn the meeting at 7:12 p.m. A verbal vote indicated all in favor.

Motion passes

List of Documents: School Committee Agenda; Warrants; Minutes of April 17, 2014